

Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 28, 1878.

Dissolution of Man.

[Written for the Alexandria Gazette.]

How frail is life; how short the date.

Precarious, void, uncertain state.

Of object, mortal man.

We bustle through a world of strife.

Amidst the miseries of life.

And stretch it to a span.

While in the wild pursuit we're warm.

To catch the shadow's empty form.

We are summoned hence away.

The spirit mounts above the skies.

Thro' fields of ether daries flies.

Far from the lifeless clay.

For this created body must.

Be blended with his kindred dust.

And leave its tenuous frame.

Its memory lost to human kind.

For what will mark the man resigned?

A tombstone, and a name.

A scanty tract of mother earth.

Immures the prince of noblest birth.

Becomes his lowly throne.

While some kind bard engraves his name.

His virtuous deeds, his power, his fame.

On a monumental stone.

But as like man, all things decay.

Wealth, glory, kingdoms melt away.

And leave no traces near.

So when old time has been his round.

No marks of tomb, or grave are found.

Or king or slave appear.

How doubtful is life! a gasp of air.

A pulse omitted mocks our care.

And bounds our mortal state.

The spirit wings its rapid flight.

To regions of darkness or of light.

Through death's all-ending gate.

Went farther and fared worse is often heard.

But too late; could have done much better at Dealham's.

Read this, it will pay you: We have

opened the second lot of cloaks, just purchased,

and are free to say that such in quality and

price was never, no never, seen, or will be seen

again. Ladies call and see what we are doing.

We will astonish you. As we have several

hundred cloaks cheaper than the cloth can be

bought for. Call! Call! Call! at Dealham's,

successor to Slaymaker Co. nov 25 1w

For fine Clothing see Dealham, 62 King

street, corner of Fairfax.

NOVELTIES IN DRESS HATS AND SHOES.—

The most elegant assortment of the latest styles

Hats and Shoes ever seen in this country,

comprising all the latest fashions. All of these

goods have been made to our own order, under

our personal supervision, and according to our

idea of the tastes and wants of the retail

trade. We shall be most happy to exhibit

these beautiful goods to all, whether they desire

to purchase or not. WADDEY, 110 King street.

oct 11—1f

The Latest—Dealham's Scotch Double Faced

Llama wool Overcoats.

For upwards of thirty years Mrs. Wisslow's

Soothing Syrup has been used for children. It

corrects acidity of the stomach, relieves wind

colic, regulates the bowels, cures dysentery and

diarrhea, whether arising from teething or

other causes. An old and well tried remedy.

25 cents a bottle. nov 22—1f

PREPARE FOR THE COLD BLASTS OF WINTER.

Call on STANBURY & BRO. and have your

Larders, Furnaces, Ranges and Stoves put in

order, or procure new ones, at prices to suit the

times, at the corner of King and Columbus

streets. nov 6—6m

AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wiso,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—By virtue of

a decree of the Corporation Court for the

city of Alexandria, Va., rendered Oct. 11, 1878,

the suit of John T. Hall vs. A. P. Brown, the

undersigned, Commissioners therein named, will

offer for sale, by public auction, in front of the

entrance to the court room on Fairfax street, in

said city, on TUESDAY, the 26th day of Nov-

ember, at 12 o'clock m., the SCHOONER

HELEN H. GOTT, now lying at the Ship Yard,

Alexandria, Va. nov 13—1s

Terms of sale: Cash.

LINDEN KENT,

CHAS. E. STUART,

Commissioners.

The above sale has been postponed until

TUESDAY, December 7th, 1878, at the same

time and place. nov 26—1s

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—By virtue of a deed of

trust from Robert Wiley and wife, dated the

15th day of November, 1871, recorded

amongst the land records of Fairfax county,

liber N, No. 4, folio 472, and for the purposes

therein mentioned, I shall offer by public auc-

tion, at Fairfax Court House, on MONDAY,

the 19th day of December, 1878, (County Court

day) the TRACT OF LAND therein men-

tioned, now occupied by Robert Wiley, containing

224 acres, 3 roads and 3 poles, being a part of the

real estate known as the "Brady Tract," ad-

joining the lands of Richard P. Price, John

Haskins and others, about 4 miles from Colches-

ter, and 13 miles from a station on the R. F. & P.

C. & R. The improvements consist of a com-

fortable FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, barn

and other outbuildings; it has an abundant

supply of wood and timber, and is an excellent

farming land. Sale to take place between 11 and 3 o'clock.

Terms—Cash. Any further information may

be obtained upon application to Thos. R. Love,

Attorney at Law, Fairfax Court House, Va.

nov 13—1s THOS. R. LOVE, Trustee.

THE GLACIET NEW

Patent Portable Gas Machine.

All persons or parties wanting a cheap light

are cordially invited to see its merits at No. 125

King street. With my new patent process illu-

minating gas can be made at 55 cents per 1000

cubic feet in manufacturing on a large scale.

Standard illuminating power fifteen candles.

Full satisfaction is given to all persons who

wish to purchase a machine. Refers to Dr. S.

C. Ford, U. S. Gas Inspector.

ADONIS GLACIET,

Inventor, Patentee and Manufacturer,

Alexandria, Virginia.

In manufacturing gas by my new process

pipes are prevented from clogging with tar or

other residuum, and the accumulation of carbon

in the retorts is also prevented. The best adapt-

ed for country residences, manufactories, public

buildings, &c. State and county rights for sale.

oct 17—1f

SOMETHING NEW.

FIRESIDE

STOVE POLISH.

BEST IN MARKET. TRY SAMPLE.

McLEAN & UHLER, Wholesale Agents,

sep 21—oct 3m Alexandria, Va.

W. S. MOORE,

MACHINE AND BLACKSMITH

No. 65 Union street,

Alexandria, Va.

Where he is prepared to furnish all kinds

MACHINE, WROUGHT AND CAST

IRON FENCES, &c.

Repairing done with dispatch, and at prices

that were charged previous to the war. jan 20

GENTLEMEN'S FINE SHOES A SPE-

cialty. Call and see them at

some styles. Call and see them at

oct 11 WADDEY'S, 110 King st.

NEW STOCK LADIES' FINE DRESS

BOOTS at

oct 11 WADDEY'S, 110 King st.

TAYLOR & HUFTY.



THIS COLUMN

EXCLUSIVELY

TAYLOR & HUFTY'S

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PENNSYLVANIA AVE.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Offer Great Inducements in all kinds of
CLOAKS, DOLMANS, CIRCULARS AND
ULSTERS

For Ladies, Misses and Children.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Offer Great Bargains in
Ladies', Children's, Misses and Men's
PLAIN AND FANCY HOSIERY.And all kinds of
MERINO UNDERWEAR.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Offer the Handsomest Line of
FUR LINED CIRCULARS.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Have just received
FIVE HUNDRED DOZEN
of their celebrated
LUCCA KID GLOVES,

In all sizes and buttons.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Have the Largest Stock of
CHEMISES, DRAWERS,
SKIRTS, NIGHT DRESSES,
BALMORAL SKIRTS, &c., &c.

The prices are the lowest; the styles and

material the best to be found in the city.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Offer
MANY NEW STYLES
OF
ELEGANT SUITS.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Manufacture the
DOUBLE YOKES SHIRT,
Which is acknowledged the
BEST IN THE WORLD.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Have just received their
WINTER IMPORTATION OF
NECKWEAR.Made by
WELCH, MARGETSON & CO., LONDON,AND
MEN'S MERINO AND CASHMERE

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

Made by
ALLEN, SULLY & CO., LONDON.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Offer an Elegant Line of
LINEN AND SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.FOR
LADIES, MEN AND CHILDREN.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Have
The "POLY DANE,"
The "RENOVA,"
The "RUTLAND," and
The "ENGLISH LONG SCARF,"
Which are the
CHOICE STYLES
OF
MEN'S NECKWEAR.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

Offer
LINED GLOVES
With and Without Fur Tops,
FOR
LADIES, MEN AND CHILDREN.

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AMUSEMENTS.

THE EVENT OF THE SEASON!

GRAND

MASK BALL.

At SAREPTA HALL,

Thursday, November 28, 1878.

(Thanksgiving night.)

Managers—H. Harber, J. Mohrman, A. T.

Seton, F. Schwab.

FOUR PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY—
one to the best masked lady and gent, and one
to the best lady and gent waltzer—to be decided
by a committee selected from the audience.

Tickets 50c—which can be had at the usual

places. Lady's tickets 25c.
Mask suits to be had at M. J. Waterman's, 69
King st., at liberal prices. nov 10—1d

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

We have opened at No. 32 ROYAL ST. an
Auction and Commission House.

We are now ready to receive all kinds of mer-

chandise and household goods on consignment
or purchase the same.

We think it may prove an advantage to per-

sons who have PRODUCE of any description
to send it to us. Located immediately opposite
the main entrance to the Market on Royal st.,
goods can be exposed every morning at public
auction, when the best prices may be expected.

Prompt returns made on sales.

Persons having FURNITURE for sale will find
it to their advantage to give us a call.We will attend to auctioneering at public sales
of property, and respectfully solicit a share of
public patronage. O'NEAL & LUCAS.Auction goods constantly on hand and for
sale. nov 6—1fW. A. JOHNSON JOHN T. HAMMOND,
W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN ALL KINDS
OF LIQUORS, ALSO
AGENTS FOR ARLINGTON BOTTLED
ALE AND PORTER AND LAF-LAND'S AND RAND'S
POWDER.Consignments of Grain, Flour and all kinds
of Country Produce solicited.
Liberal advances made on consignments in
store. Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal sts.,
Alexandria, Va. aug 1ALLEN C. HARMON,
GROCERS, FEED AND COMMISSION
MERCHANT,
CORNER PRINCE AND ROYAL STS.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.I WOULD INFORM MY FRIENDS AND
the public generally that I have this day made
a business connection with the well known firm
of HARLOW BROS. Grocers, Liquor, Food
and General Commission Merchants, N. W.
corner Cameron and Royal streets, and would
solicit a share of their patronage.
sep 23—1f F. G. SWAINE.HARLOW BROS.,
GROCERS, LIQUOR, FEED,
AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
N. W. COR. CAMERON AND ROYAL STS.
Liberal advances made on all consignments
in store. sep 23—1fTHOMAS PERRY, Agent,
GENERAL
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 17 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.Agent for the sale of
ISAAC WENGER'S
CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR.PHILIP B. ROGE,
NO. 2 PRINCE STREET
GENERAL
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANT.
Dealer in all kinds of
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER.Agent of the
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN-SURANCE COMPANY.
feb 5—1fW. A. SMOOT,
DEALER IN
COAL, SALT, FLOUR, &c.,
SMOOT'S WHARF,
(Foot of Princess st.),
Alexandria, Virginia.R. B. LAWSON & CO.,
[Successors to R. M. Lawson,]
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,
No. 67 Cameron street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.GEO. WASHINGTON, E. J. WASHINGTON
WASHINGTON & BROTHER
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
NO. 20 UNION STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all
kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special
attention given to all business entrusted to them.
Prompt returns made. sep 24

ICE DEALERS.

ICE ICE

I have received and shall continue to keep
and a full supply of the best

Kennebec ICE,

which I am desirous to dispose of in large or
small quantities at the

LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE

Persons in the city can arrange with the drivers
or leave their orders at Brongle's, Appie's
or Schaffer's confectionery store.
Orders from the country will receive prompt
attention.J. S. Beach.
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

my 22—1f

WIRE HANGING BASKETS!
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for sale by
McLEAN & UHLER,
107 King streetLADIES' NEW STYLE PARLOR AND
DRESS SLIPPERS at
oct 11 WADDEY'S, 110 King st.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

W. B. WADDEY.

Is now receiving his
FALL AND WINTER STOCK OF

BOOTS & SHOES.

And is happy to state that he is now prepared to
show the finest line of Boots and Shoes, of all
grades, that has ever been exhibited in this city.A great variety of new styles, very many being
private patterns, of which he has the exclusive
sale in this market.SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS will be offered in
every kind of goods in his line.He has just added to his stock of fine goods a
large line of medium priced substantially made
Boots and Shoes, which he is offering at prices
to suit the times. It is certainly the best as-sortment he has been able to show, and they are
to be sold at lower prices than ever. He
cordially and confidently invites criticism, and
an examination and inspection of his stock, feel-ing assured that his customers will be convinced
that it is his aim to give the best goods at the
lowest prices. He has a large and varied as-sortment of HEAVY BOOTS and SHOES, suit-
able for farmers and planters, to which he in-
vites the particular attention of Country Mer-chants being satisfied that he can sell them
cheaper than they can be bought this side of
New England. Don't buy a dollar's worth of
goods in our line until you investigate his stock.Men's Heavy Boots, Brogans and Flow
Shoes, regular Old Smathers, to lace up high,
so as to keep out real estate or subordi-

nate tailors' snakes, and splendid to kick stub-

born male with.
W. B. WADDEY, 110 King street.

DRY GOODS.

LYONS AND ZUNICH BLACK SILKS,
PARIS BLACK CASHMERE, BLACK
CASHMERE SHAWLS, BLACK ALPA-CA AND MOHAIR.
Thursday, Nov. 22, 1878.
Mme. DEMOREST'S NEW WINTER PAT-